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## FORMER RATES ARE EFFECTIVE AGAIN

Burleson Telephone Schedules As to  
Intra State Service are Can-  
celled at Midnight.

## RESULT OF THE INJUNCTION

Order of Marion County Judge, How-  
ever, Does Not Interfere With In-  
terstate Phone Changes.

### May Get Refund.

By United Press.

Indianapolis, Feb. 22.—Telephone patrons who were forced to pay the increased toll rates and installation and removal charges ordered by Postmaster General Burleson may be entitled to a refund in the opinion of state officials today, under the injunction handed down by Judge Ewbank in the Marion circuit court.

The Burleson increased telephone rates which have been in effect for several weeks, were cancelled at midnight Friday so far as Indiana service is concerned as a result of the temporary injunction which was granted by Judge Louis B. Ewbank in the Marion circuit court. The Seymour Mutual Telephone Company received telegraphic instructions late Friday night to institute the former rates at midnight. The old rates have prevailed on all intrastate service since that time.

As the injunction was granted upon a petition filed by the Central Union and Indianapolis Telephone Companies in Indianapolis, the order of the Marion circuit court affects only service within the state. Calls which have been placed for Chicago, Louisville, Cincinnati or other points out of Indiana have been placed at the increased rates which were specified in the Burleson order. It is expected that some action will be taken in the near future to prevent the enforcement of the rates throughout the country, but until such a federal order is issued the higher tariffs will prevail except in states where temporary injunctions have been granted.

The reinstatement of the old rates means that the person to person calls and the other provisions of the Burleson order are no longer needed. A party may now place a call for any Indiana point without guaranteeing the entry charge.

The local company had no further information relative to the Ewbank injunction and did not know when the arguments would be made in an effort to make it permanent. So long as the injunction stands, however, the county toll charges which were recently put into effect in Jackson county will not be made. The exchange employees have found that the new rate system resulted in a vast amount of additional work as the records of the calls were more complicated because of the several charges that were provided.

### SUPPER SERVED TO 425 BY LADIES OF M. E. CHURCH

Interesting Program Given During  
the Evening—Short Address by  
Judge Charles J. Orbison.

What is regarded as the most successful of the Washington Birth-day suppers that are given annually by the Ladies Aid Society of the First M. E. church was held Friday night. Plates for 425 members of the church and visitors were laid during the evening. An excellent meal was served.

During the evening an interesting program was given. Vocal selections were rendered by Miss Gertrude Robbins with Miss Anna Massman as accompanist, and Leonard Bartlett, with Mrs. Willard Everhart at the piano. Zickler's orchestra also gave a program of selections. The Rev. Charles W. Whitman, pastor, presided during the evening. Judge Charles M. Orbison, of Indianapolis, who came here to give an address at the Masonic meeting, was a guest at the church and made a brief talk on, "The Duty of Men in the New Day Church."

The members of the Aid Society and those who were responsible for the supper are greatly gratified with the excellent results.

## NEW DAY DAWNING, ASSERTS SPEAKER

Charles J. Orbison, of Indianapolis,  
Delivers Address at Washington  
Birthday Memorial.

## RESULT OF THE INJUNCTION

Musical Program Also Rendered Af-  
ter Which Smoker and Social  
Hour is Enjoyed.

"The long, black night is over and in the East the sun is rising upon a new day," declared Charles J. Orbison, of Indianapolis, in an address at the Washington birthday memorial which was given Friday night by Jackson Lodge, F. & A. M. Mr. Orbison is the deputy Grand Master of the Indiana lodge. The lodge room was filled with members of the local lodge and visitors. W. C. Young, W. M., presided at the evening's program which was arranged by a special committee. Several beautiful selections were rendered by Zickler's orchestra and a number of patriotic songs were sung by the audience.

J. W. Hays read a very interesting account of George Washington's Masonic career. The speaker was introduced by the presiding officer.

Mr. Orbison emphasized the three great Masonic principles of friendship, morality and brotherly love. He pointed out that it was the practical application of friendship and brotherhood that caused the United States to enter the world war and defend civilization and punish the brutal

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### FRANKLIN ATTORNEY MAY ENTER STATE AUDITOR RACE

William G. Oliver Visits Seymour to  
Talk Over the Matter With  
Some of His Friends.

William G. Oliver, an attorney at Franklin, was here today discussing with some of his friends relative to his possible entrance into the race for Republican candidate for auditor of state. Mr. Oliver was mentioned in connection with this office in the last campaign but decided not to become a candidate at that time. Mr. Oliver has a wide acquaintance through the state.

So far as known there will not be a large number of candidates for state office from the Fourth district in the next campaign and those who are interested in particular candidates believe that the district has a better chance of nominating its men if the field is not "muddled." It is pointed out that in the past the Fourth has presented several candidates for the various offices and the result is that the vote is divided and the "plum" goes out of the district.

### LOCAL VOTERS WOULD LIKE TO SEE PRIMARY LAW CHANGED

Permanent Registration is One of  
The Proposed Amendments Be-  
fore the Legislature.

The present primary and registration law is not satisfactory to the majority of voters in this county and they would like to see the measure amended by the present legislature.

The same complaint has come from other counties in the state and several changes are before the legislators.

One proposed amendment would provide for a permanent registration of voters so that when a voter once registers he will not be required to go through the procedure again until he moved from the precinct. Another suggestion is that receiving consideration is that the registration be conducted on two days instead of having a registration board in session for five or six months preceding the general election. It is believed certain that many of the objectionable features of the present law will be eliminated by the legislature and such changes will be very acceptable here.

### SEYMORE COMMANDERY K. T.

Members will meet at traction station at 1 o'clock p. m. Sunday, February 23 for purpose of attending the funeral of the late Knight Irvin McCaslin, Scottsburg. It is urged that all Knights attend.

Clifford H. Long, Com.

Let Parker do your Auto Repairing. Work Guaranteed. Phone Main 644. 116 West Tipton street. f24d

Basket Ball, Seymour vs. Madison, tonight, 7:30, High School Gym.

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## PRESIDENT WILSON AT CHATEAU THIERRY



President Wilson saluting the veterans at Chateau Thierry as he was leaving the station at the time of his recent visit to the scene of the great American victory.

## NEW ALBANY FALLS BEFORE S.H.S. TEAM

Local Basketball Quintet Takes Fast  
Game on Opponents' Floor by  
Score of 27 to 26.

### DISTRICT HOPES RENEWED

New Albany Defeated the Local  
Team, 40 to 27, During Early  
Part of the Season.

The untiring efforts of the S. H. S. basketball team resulted in a victory over the New Albany H. S. at New Albany Friday night by the close score of 27 to 26. The New Albany quintet appeared on the local floor about six weeks ago and defeated S. H. S. to the tune of 40 to 27. The southern Indiana lads appeared last night with two substitutes in their line-up, Randall, forward, and Burke, center, being out, while the locals were without their star back-guard. Mercer was out of the game last night because of injuries received during the Columbus-Seymour game last Wednesday.

The game was played at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. The floor was a little smaller than the high school gym of this city but had a very high ceiling. On the side lines were rows of chairs with a balcony above. Throughout the entire game the locals could not get accustomed to New Albany's rules of the game. They could not understand how the "side lines" could be the walls of the gymnasium when the crowd was seated inside the gymnasium. Although many fouls were made by both teams, few were called.

The New Albany players showed some good team work while the locals were a little slow, being very tired from the hard fought game Wednesday night. However S. H. S. possessed the "stick-to-itiveness" that won the game. With but one minute and a half to play, the "purple and white" had the small end of a 25 to 22 score. G. Keach and Hinthon were the stars of the game, the former registering six field goals and the latter five.

James was the first to score but New Albany soon took the lead, hitting the basket for three field goals and a foul. S. H. S. then got busy and put the ball through the basket four times while New Albany found their goal but once. The first half ended, 9 to 9. The second half was "see-saw" fashion, Seymour scoring then New Albany. The southern Indiana lads broke away the last ten

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### Pie Supper.

Monday night February 24th at the Park Mission. Everybody welcome. Ladies bring pies. f24d

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### WIRELESS TELEPHONE USED THOUSAND MILES

Secretary Daniels Talks to Pres-  
ident Wilson—Only One Way  
Service Was Provided.

By United Press.

Washington, February 22—Secretary of the Navy Daniels was in wireless telephone communication with President Wilson on the U. S. Steamer George Washington this morning. While the wireless telephone could be used for only a one way conversation, a wireless telegraph message from the President stated that he heard Daniel's words plainly.

Daniels informed the President that plans are made for his reception in Boston and also in Washington upon his arrival. The George Washington was about 700 miles off shore at 1 o'clock this morning. The total distance covered by the wireless telephone message including the land distance from Washington was about 1,000 miles.

### MORE FURS STOLEN FROM FRANK FRANKLIN'S SHED

Unsuccessful Attempt is Also Made  
to Enter Room Where Meat  
Supply is Kept.

Frank Franklin is fast becoming the most popular victim of "small town" thieving in Seymour. His fur shed was broken into again Friday night and \$15 worth of muskrat and possum hides taken. This is the second time Mr. Franklin has been robbed of his pelts and to make things more interesting for all parties concerned he announced today that a reward of \$50 would be paid to whosoever apprehended or led to the arrest of the person or persons involved in the diabolical attempt to break up his fur trade. His former loss amounted to nearly \$100. Had the thief called a couple of nights sooner the loss would have been nearly \$700.

Friday night the fur thief tried to add the theft of Mr. Franklin's store of meat to his previous accumulation of dark deeds. The meat had been salted away in a wing of the residence that is separate from the rest of the house. The only means of entrance was through the high window in the rear of the house and here the thief, unable to reach much above the window sill, left signs of having pried his crow bar with much diligence. The window did not yield however and the disappointed thief threw the bar down with disgust and went away leaving it where the police found it this morning.

If the \$50 reward doesn't bring the culprit to justice Mr. Franklin will probably mount guard over his property. From the thoroughness with which the thief works it is probable that he keeps in personal touch with Mr. Franklin's actions through the day.

### New Columbia Records.

For March. Call and hear them. "Why Do They Call Them Babies?" "You're Some Pretty Doll," "Hawaiian Breezes" Waltz, "Stick in the Mud" Fox Trot, "Have a Smile," "Mother Here's Your Boy" "Don't Cry Little Girl, Don't Cry." Watch our ad for late music. E. H. Hancock Music Store. Opposite Interurban Station. f24d

Social for the members of the Royal Neighbor Lodge, Monday evening, February 24. All members be present.

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## GERMANY ABLAZE WITH REVOLUTION

Spartacus Outbreaks in Buhr and  
Rhine Districts Reported  
To Be Growing.

### DESPERATE BATTLES WAGED

Munich in Hands of Revolutionary  
Forces—Riots Have Occurred  
in Hungary.

By United Press.

London, February 22—Germany is ablaze again with revolution. The uprising has spread to Hungary. Reports from various sources today show that Spartacus outbreaks in the Buhr and Rhine districts are growing more menacing, that Munich is in the hands of the revolutionaries and that Budapest is endangered by a revolt.

Ninety localities in the Buhr valley are held by the Spartacists and the uprising is said to be getting beyond the control of the government. Desperate fighting has broken out in several points in different parts of the country. 700 Spartacists are said to have been killed in battle at Dorsten and Herrest. New riots occurred in Hamburg.

Civil war broke out in Munich yesterday it was reported in dispatches received here today. The mobs plundered shops and residences. Hundreds of civilians fled from the city. Others were prevented from leaving after the Spartacists seized the railroads.

A Wiemar dispatch says that Chancellor Scheidemann, after announcing that the assassination of Premier Eisner and Minister Auer left Munich in control of the Spartacists, declared today that relentless warfare would be waged against the radicals.

The government has been ordered to employ every form of its command to crush terrorism everywhere, the chancellor said. The Cabinet feels that the new revolution has actually begun.

Government forces apparently have been able to control the situation in the Buhr and Rhine districts, where rioting accompanied the general strike, but new outbreaks were reported today to be cropping out in other parts of the country.

### 1,238,831 OFFICERS AND MEN IN HOME CAMPS DEMOBILIZED

Chief of Staff March Says Orders  
Are Issued for Return of 240,  
000 from Overseas.

By United Press.

Washington, February 22—Demobilization of 1,238,831 men and officers from the army in home camps and abroad was announced by Chief of Staff March today.

Of this number 74,313 are officers and 1,164,518 enlisted men.

Orders have been issued to date for the demobilization of 1,281,000 troops in the United States and 249,000 overseas troops returned to the United States.

March omitted his usual newspaper conference because of the holiday and presented the figures in an official statement.

### SHORT TERM NOTES

Favored by House Ways and Means  
Committee.

By United Press.

Washington, February 22—The house ways and means committee today voted to report favorably a bill providing for an issue of short term notes as a substitute for liberty bonds. The bill will be brought up in the house early next week.

### \$2.26 Wheat Guarantee.

By United Press.

Washington, February 22.—The house today passed the \$2.26 wheat guarantee bill, 276 to 15.

The bill gives the President broad powers to buy and sell wheat through any agency he may see fit, control storage and restrict imports and exports.

Special closing program by the Loyal Daughters class at the First Baptist Sunday School tomorrow morning.

## SEYMORE DAILY REPUBLICAN

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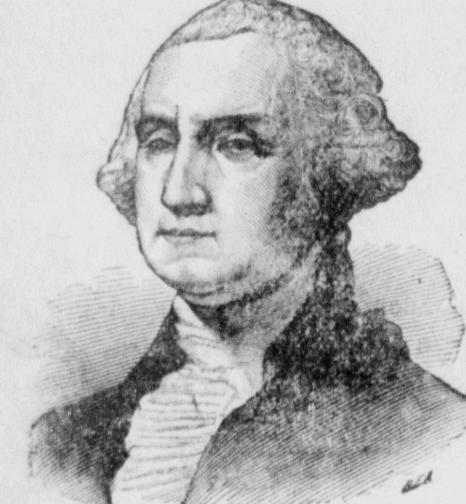
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## THE NATION HONORS HIM



GEORGE WASHINGTON

## THE INJUNCTION.

Judge Louis B. Ewbank, judge of the Marion circuit court, has granted a temporary injunction restraining the Central Union and the Indianapolis Telephone Companies from enforcing the new Burleson rate order which forces additional charges upon telephone users. In Jackson county alone the new order meant an additional expense of about \$500 a month. This will indicate the tremendous increase in revenue which would come to the federal administration if the order is permitted to stand.

"Business expenses" are the amounts actually paid or incurred during the tax year in the conduct of a business, trade or profession. In computing net income a merchant may find his profits on the following basis:

First ascertain the gross sales and the other items of gross income, such as interest on bank balances and miscellaneous items. Then add together the inventory at the beginning of the year and the cost of goods purchased for re-sale. From this sum subtract the inventory at the end of the year, and the result is the cost of goods sold. This cost, plus necessary business expenses is to be deducted from the gross sales and other income, and the result is the net income of the business.

If the taxpayer's accounts are kept on a receipts and payments basis the return may be made in accordance therewith.

A merchant may claim as deductions the amount paid for advertising, hire of clerks and other employees, the cost of light and fuel, water, telephone, etc., used in his place of business, the cost of operating delivery wagons, motor trucks and incidental repairs to such vehicles.

Amounts expended in entertaining an out-of-town customer may be deducted if the sole purpose is to cultivate the good will of the customer and obtain an increase in trade.

A physician may claim as deductions the cost of medicines and medical supplies used by him in his practice, a reasonable proportion of the expenses paid in the maintenance and repair of an automobile used in making professional calls, the expenses of attending medical conventions, dues to medical societies and subscriptions to medical journals, the rent paid for office rooms, the cost of heat, water, telephone, etc., used in such office rooms and the hire of office assistants. If his office is a rented home, he may claim as a deduction that proportion of the rent properly chargeable to the rooms used for professional purposes. The same deductions are allowed a dentist.

The farmer may deduct all amounts paid in preparing his land for a crop, and the cultivation, harvesting and marketing of the crop. The cost of seed and fertilizer used and amounts spent in caring for live stock are deductible items. The cost of minor repairs, to farm

The government has broad powers in any thing that it undertakes, but it does not appear that without good reason, it ought to be vested with authority to take over telephone systems and then without an investigation fix rates for the various localities. The operation of telephone systems is a business and ought to be conducted on a business principle. The rates throughout the country cannot be uniform as the conditions are radically different.

Arrangements on the temporary injunction will be made within a few days. It is likely that the government will attempt to get a final decision on the ruling within a short time so that the future program of the telephone administration may be mapped out.

The house, Friday, passed a bill appropriating \$750,000,000 for the railroad administration revolving fund. This bill will likely be enacted into law as the administration must have at least this amount of money to meet the deficiency which has been incurred. Once again the public gets a taste of the cost of government management. The freight tariffs are higher than under private ownership and passenger rates have soared to a new high mark. Under government control any losses are made up by taxation which throws a double burden on the public.

Mrs. H. V. Evans and son, Carl T. returned Friday afternoon from Hot Springs, Ark., where they spent several weeks with relatives.

## SOME DEDUCTIONS PROVIDED BY LAW

BUSINESS EXPENSE Important Item to Those Who Are Required to Pay Income Taxes.

## WHAT FARMER MAY CHECK OFF

Merchants and Manufacturers May Subtract Expenses for Conduct of Business.

Work on the collection of \$6,000,000,000 has been begun by the Bureau of Internal Revenue. This is the estimated yield of the new revenue bill. The income tax provisions of the act reach the pocket-book of every single person in the United States whose net income for 1918 was \$1,000, or more, and of every married person whose net income was \$2,000 or more. Persons whose net income equalled or exceeded these amounts, according to their marital status, must file a return of income with the collector of internal revenue for the district in which they live on or before March 15.

Liberal deductions for business expenses are allowed by the new revenue bill.

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## WAR CROSS WINNERS OF THE 370TH INFANTRY



Front row, left to right: Capt. G. M. Allen, Lieut. O. A. Browning, Capt. D. J. Warner, Lieut. Roy B. Tisdell, Capt. J. H. Smith; rear row, Capt. J. H. Smith, Lieut. P. Hurd, Lieut. Col. Otis B. Duncan, Maj. J. R. White, Capt. W. B. Crawford, Lieut. W. J. Warfield, Capt. M. Jackson; officers of the Three Hundred and Seventieth Infantry colored troops, who have been awarded the Croix de Guerre by the French government for bravery in action. These men are mostly from Illinois.

buildings, other than the dwelling, and of fences, farm machinery and wagons, may be claimed, also the cost of farm tools which are used up in the course of a year or two and of materials for immediate use, such as binding twine, stock powders, etc. The cost of machinery of a permanent character, such as threshing machine or tractor, is held to be a capital investment, and is not allowable deduction. Deduction may be made for rent paid for a farm.

This, in a general way, outlines the ordinary expenses incurred by a merchant, professional man or farmer, and the principle underlying these allowances is equally applicable in the conduct of any trade, business or profession. In short, all expenses connected directly and solely with the conduct of an income-producing business, trade, profession or vocation are allowable.

With the passage of the new revenue bill the problem of making out an income tax return for 1918 is presented to millions of taxpayers.

Last year the taxpayer had to keep in mind the provisions of the 1916 and 1917 acts both of which were effective. This year he has only one law to consider. The new revenue bill, however, contains a number of important changes, with which, in order fully to comply with the law, taxpayers must acquaint themselves.

Probably the most important change affecting individuals is the rate, the exemptions of \$1000 for single persons and \$2,000 for married persons and heads of families remaining the same as under the 1817 act. The normal rate of tax under the new act is 6 per cent. on the first \$4,000 of net income above the exemptions and 12 per cent. on the remaining net income. This applies to every citizen and resident of the United States. Alien non-residents of the United States having property here are taxed on the income from that property to the full 12 per cent. of the normal. For 1919 and subsequent years the rates

MRS. EDWIN F. GAY



Washington always welcomes an official southern hostess, especially one as charming as Mrs. Edwin F. Gay, wife of the new senator from Louisiana. The Gays are from New Orleans.

## MISS MARJORIE STINSON



Marjorie Stinson, sister of Katherine Stinson, is the only woman to whom a pilot's license has been granted by the joint army and navy board of aeronautics. Though she is only nineteen years old Miss Stinson has been flying for five years. She is working in one of the drafting sections of the navy.

are fixed at 4 and 8 per cent., respectively. Under the 1817 act the normal rate was 2 per cent. on net income in excess of the exemptions.

Under the 1916 act the normal rate was 2 per cent. on the net income of single persons in excess of \$3,000 and 2 per cent. on the net income of married persons and heads of families in excess of \$4,000. The normal rate of tax on incomes in excess of the exemptions provided for by the 1916 act, therefore, was 4 per cent.

The new bill provides an additional exemption of \$200 for each person dependent upon the taxpayer for chief support, if such person is under eighteen years of age, or incapable of self-support. Under the 1917 act the \$200 exemption was granted only or each dependent child of the person making the return, or when the return was made by the head of a family, for each dependent child of a family. A head of a family is one who supports one or more persons closely connected with him by blood relationship, relationship by marriage or by adoption.

The period for filing ends March 15. The tax may be paid in full at the time of filing the return, or in four installments, the first of which is due on or before March 15, the second on or before June 15, the third on or before September 15 and the fourth on or before December 15.

Heavy penalties are provided for persons who fail or "wilfully refuse" to file their return and pay the tax within the time specified by law. For failure to file a return the penalty is a fine of not more than \$1,000 and an additional assessment of 25 per cent. of the amount of tax due. For "wilfully refusing" to make a return the penalty is a fine of not more than

\$10,000, or one year's imprisonment, or both. A similar penalty is provided for making a fraudulent return, and, in addition, an assessment of 50 per cent. of the amount due. Persons who fail to pay the tax when due are subject to a fine of not more than \$1,000 and an assessment of 5 per cent. of the amount unpaid, plus 1 per cent. interest for each full month during which it remains unpaid.

Forms for making returns may be obtained from offices of collectors of internal revenue. Taxpayers with incomes of more than \$5,000 should ask for Form 1040 A. Those with incomes of more than \$5,000 should ask for Form 1040.

## Notice to Poultry Feeders.

We sell Cut Meat and Bone for poultry. Poultry must have meat for health and growth and economical egg production.

Poultry must have bone for building up of a strong body, grain fed alone is too fattening and will not produce the greatest number of eggs, being deficient in protein, therefore it is absolutely necessary to furnish protein. Our Cut Meat and Bone furnishes this necessary protein in the most palatable and appetizing form in which it can be fed and our feeds will insure economical returns, why not give it a trial.

Manufactured and sold by Buhner Fertilizer Co., m8wk&S Seymour, Ind.

## NEW DAY DAWNING. ASSERTS SPEAKER

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power that entered the territory of helpless nations in an attempt to gain its own selfish and brutal ends. Before the world war the United States regarded itself as a power that lived unto itself, he said, but when civilization was crushed, this nation caught the larger vision of duty and stretched out its hand to give relief and assistance.

The speaker said that it took a mighty force to awaken the United States to the fact that it could no longer live in its selfish exclusiveness and that it had a duty towards the other nations of the world. As the spirit of brotherly love has grown among the individuals so it has grown among the nations, he said. In illustration of this he referred to the league of nations the theory of which is that all powers of the world shall work in harmony and co-operation not for selfish ends but for the advancement of the whole world and for humanity.

Following the address the Masons enjoyed a social hour in the club rooms where cigars and apples were served. This is the third program of this character which has been given by the local Masonic lodge.

## Notice.

Having been released from military service, I will resume my practice in diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, and fitting glasses immediately.

d30dtf Dr. Chas. E. Gillespie.

Mrs. J. M. Mills left Friday afternoon for North Vernon for a short visit with relatives at that place. She will also visit in Cincinnati before returning home.

Francis Bunton, of Cincinnati, visited relatives here Friday afternoon enroute to his home from St. Louis, Mo.

We do "Printing that Please."

## COAL DUST LODGED IN MINER'S LUNGS

Mr. Bunn tells how his cough was conquered and health restored.

"I contracted a bad cough in November, 1916. I was working in a coal mine and the doctors said the coal dust had settled in my lungs. I kept getting worse, couldn't lie down on my right side, coughed so I couldn't sleep and had constant pain in my right lung and under my shoulder blades. I coughed so hard the blood would spurt out of my nose. I soon lost 30 pounds. Finally the doctors had me change climate and I went to the Cumberland Mountains and lived out doors, but didn't improve."

"Then I came back home and started on Milks Emulsion. Thank God I did, as it did me a lot of good right from the start, loosening up the coal dust that had filled my right lung. In a few weeks my lungs were free from coal dust. I could sleep at night like a baby, had an excellent appetite and my cough left me entirely. I gained back 30 pounds in weight and went back to work in the mines completely restored to health. I am working every day and feel as good as I ever did in my life." —G. H. Bunn, 6th Ave. & No. 13th St., Terre Haute, Ind.

Thousands of victims of dust filled air, in mines and factories, develop the same trouble that Mr. Bunn had. Milks Emulsion costs nothing to try, so why not at least try it? It is certain to be a help, and it may do as much for you as it did for Mr. Bunn.

Milks Emulsion is a pleasant, nutritive food and a corrective medicine. It restores healthy, natural bowel action, getting away with all need of pills and physic. It promotes appetite and quickly puts the digestive organs in shape to assimilate food. As a builder of flesh and strength, Milks Emulsion is strongly recommended to run-down nervous people, and it has produced amazing results in many cases of tuberculosis of the lungs. Chronic stomach trouble and constipation are promptly relieved—usually in one day. It works like magic on coughs and colds.

This is the only solid emulsion made, so palatable that it is eaten with a spoon like ice cream. A truly wonderful medicine for weak, sickly children.

No matter how severe your case, you are urged to try Milks Emulsion under this guarantee—Take six bottles home with you, use it according to directions and if not satisfied with the results, your money will be promptly refunded. Price 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. The Milks Emulsion Co., Terre Haute, Ind. Sold and guaranteed by C. E. Leertz.

## Mercy, An Awful Discovery.

By United Press.

Indianapolis, February 22—Tight skirts of ankle length may prevent Indiana women from casting a vote for presidential electors unless the state's general election laws are modified, according to L. W. Henley, Republican state committee chairman. Under the existing laws governing elections it is provided that eight inches of the voter's legs must be visible from the outside of the balloting booth. This and other difficulties must be overcome before the Johnson law, granting Indiana women the right to vote for candidates for presidential electors can apply to all women of the state. No provision has thus far been made for women voting when voting machines are used instead of the Australian ballot system.

## ADVERTISED LIST.

February 17, 1919.

The following is a list of letters received in the Post Office at Seymour, Ind. and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the Dead Letter Office.

## LADIES—

Mrs. May Harris.

Mrs. John Gorden Terbune.

## MEN—

John Berry.

Luke Covert.

Milion Elurlick.

W. N. Delaney.

Kenneth Debity.

W. R. Forney.

John Furnish.

Russell Harvey.

J. Harvey.

HAD WIFE AT EACH END  
OF CAR LINE, IS CHARGE  
Judge Tells Mayme Varble She Must  
Submit Proof Against  
Motorman.

The following relative to the troubles of Robert H. Varble, of this city, is taken from the Louisville Times:

If the allegations contained in the petition of Mayme Varble against Robert H. Varble are true she is not married to him and cannot be granted a divorce, Judge Arthur M. Wallace said in a written opinion handed down in joint session to-day in which he remanded the case for additional proof. She says that subsequent to her supposed marriage to Varble, September 19, 1917, she learned that he had a wife living in Seymour, Ind., and she went to that city and learned that she had been married to Varble for more than five years.

If her allegation is true she is entitled to have the marriage annulled, the court said, but to sustain the charge she must produce proof of the prior marriage, either by a certified copy of the marriage license and return thereon or by other substantive testimony. As the records now stand it simply shows that the Louisville wife was told by the Seymour wife that she was married to Varble, the court said, which is not sufficient proof to annul the second marriage.

Varble is a motorman for the Southern Indiana Ration Company and spent half of his time in Seymour and the other half in this city, the Louisville wife says in her petition.

#### OPTIONAL FEATURE

New Amendment Offered to The Primary Bill.

By United Press.

Indianapolis, February 22—One of the most important amendments which has been prepared to the Beardsley-VanAuken primary election bill which will be taken up as a special order of business in the Senate Monday, was written by Senator Hogsten, of Marion, and proposes to permit one party holding a convention and another holding a primary election simultaneously, it was learned today.

Senators Beardsley and VanAuken have stated that they both approve of the proposed amendment and will offer no opposition to its adoption to their jointly introduced measure. It was also brought out that it was originally intended to include an optional feature when the bill was first drafted but that there was a slight difference in opinion at that time regarding the matter.

Arthur W. Smith, who has been with the Marine Corps on guard duty at New London, Conn., has just completed a test on the rifle range where he made a record as expert rifleman with a score of 264, eleven more points than the required number. The tests were both on rapid firing and slow firing and at ranges varying from 200 yards to 600 yards.

#### Sore Throat Prudence

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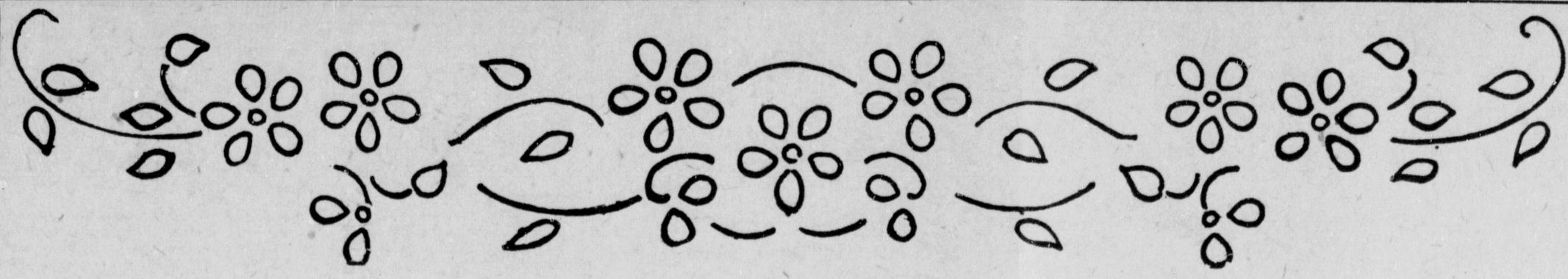
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# Art Needlework

Every woman "just dearly loves" to crochet or embroider or knit.

The Daily Republican has secured a series of articles by Edith M. Brown showing new patterns in fancy work and illustrating them with drawings of the designs.

These articles and illustrations will appear each week on the Woman's page, beginning next Thursday.

Various designs of fancy work will be shown as the series continues from week to week.

## Seymour Daily Republican

### POORLY STARTED ORCHARD IS RARELY A SUCCESS

Purdue Horticultural Staff Declares Selection of Varieties is Important Feature.

By United Press.

Lafayette, Ind., February 22.—"An apple orchard must be properly started in order to lay the foundation for future success. A poorly started orchard rarely turns out to be anything but a disappointing failure," says C. L. Burkholder, of the Purdue University horticultural extension staff.

Some of the things of fundamental importance in starting a young orchard are proper selection of varieties and their weak and strong points in different sections of the state. Some varieties have a tendency to bear annually, others biennially. This is an important point to consider in choosing varieties for commercial orchards. The Grimes Golden one of the most profitable kinds in Indiana has a tendency to show collar rot. How this fault can be overcome will be discussed by Burkholder at the Fruit Growers' Short Course to be given at Purdue University March 1.

The soil management in young apple orchards during the first few years is of utmost importance in the final success of the orchard. Methods of planting and proper setting as regards to pollination will be discussed. The handling of orchards in hilly sections of the state also will be taken up in detail, by Prof. Burkholder, who has taken up the study of commercial orchards in detail.

### NEW ALBANY FALLS BEFORE S. H. S. TEAM

(Continued from first page)

minutes of play and ran up the score of 25 to 20. With but three and a half minutes to play the locals faced this odd. Shouts arose, "Just hold them that's all that's necessary." However New Albany failed. James started the final rush with two field goals after which Winters threw a foul. The score now stood 26 to 25 in favor of New Albany with about twenty seconds to play. James got the "tip-off" and after making several attempts G. Keach dropped the ball through the basket. Before the players had retaken their places the final whistle blew, Seymour 27 and New Albany 26.

Strange things will happen and the real strength of S. H. S. has not been found. Although Columbus defeated the locals twice this season, hopes for the district tournament were renewed last night. But two games remain on the local schedule one with Madison tonight on the local floor and the other at Madison next Friday. S. H. S. has booked both games as victories since North Vernon defeated Madison twice, while the locals returned the compliments on North Vernon by large scores. The game tonight is the last home game and the S. H. S. quintet should receive the hearty support of local enthusiasts.

Summary of the game last night is as follows:

New Albany (25) Seymour, (27)  
Scott, f

### THE GOLGOtha OF THE CANADIANS



This piece of bronze sculpture, representing the crucifixion of a Canadian soldier by the Germans, was a feature of the Canadian memorial war exhibition held in Burlington house, London.

Neaham, f Nieshaus, f  
Gerdon, e James, e  
Winters, g Eckstein, g  
Hinthon, g Brockmeyer, g  
Substitutes—Seymour: R. Keach  
for Neaham.

Field Goals—New Albany: Hinthon, 5; Neaham, 3; Gerdon, 2; Scott, 1; Seymour: G. Keach, 6; James, 3; Nieshaus, 2; Eckstein, 1.

Foul goals—New Albany: Winters, 4; Seymour: Eckstein, 3.

Referee—Stevens, New Albany Y. M. C. A.

### DISTRICT TEAMS GETTING READY FOR STATE TOURNAMENT

Sectional Basketball Matches Will Be Held in Indiana March 7 and 8.

As March draws closer and the district teams get down to harder work, talk and excitement increases. Officials at Purdue who have charge of the state tournament to be held there on the 13, 14 and 15 announce that many good teams will compete in the state tourney.

Steve Hannigan, in charge of publicity on the tournament, sends out the information that the big show at Purdue will undoubtedly be the best ever held, for there will be more good teams, closer competition and better accommodations for players and fans than ever before, and all Lafayette, G. Keach, f is exerting itself to make comforta-

ble the enormous crowd of visitors expected to attend the annual classic.

The sectional tournaments will be held in twenty cities March 7 and 8, and in practically every district there are one or more teams favored, but all will have to play real basketball if they are to be numbered among the score of quintets to battle for the state title in the final tourney at Purdue.

Because of some of the more noticeable upsets in the dope many fans are claiming that favorites are tossing games to other teams so as to draw attention to other fives. This, the fans claim, is being done because teams usually try harder to beat the favorites and therefore the playing life of the favored five is one of bumps and knocks.

In the Frankfort district it will be a hot race between Lebanon, the state champs, Thorntown and Advance. Advance has beaten both teams. If there is a dark horse club this year it will probably hail from the northern section of the state, although the southern district always puts at least one speedy five in the field.

Three counties—Montgomery, Tippecanoe and Boone—have always had the honor of capturing the state tournament since it was first held in 1911 and many teams believe the 1919 title winners will hail from one of this trio of counties.

### MARION TOWNSHIP FARMERS HEAR INTERESTING PROGRAM

R. L. Thompson and Mrs. Hortense Tapp Moore are Lecturers at Annual Institute.

The fourth annual Farmers' Institute of Marion township was held today at Marion church, in Jennings county. Meetings were held morning and afternoon, the morning session opened at 10 a. m. A free lunch was served at noon. R. L. Thompson, of Topeka, and Mrs. Hortense Tapp Moore, of Rockville, were the speakers.

The following was the program for the morning:

Song—"America."

Prayer—Rev. Chesley Holmes.

Song.

Address—"Making for Contentment on the Farm" . . . . . Mrs. Moore Discussion.

Song.

Address—"Successful Wheat Production" . . . . . Mrs. Thompson Discussion.

The afternoon program:

Song.

Reports of Committees.

Election of Officers.

Address—"Child Welfare" . . . . . Mrs. Moore Discussion.

Song.

Address—"Marketing Farm Products" . . . . . Mr. Thompson Discussion.

Special music was furnished during the session.

### MANY TICKETS SOLD FOR C. C. BANQUET THURSDAY

T. M. Honan and W. M. Whitson to Give Addresses—John M. Lewis to Act as Toastmaster.

Members of the Chamber of Commerce are surprising even themselves in the rapid sale of tickets for the banquet to be held on the evening, February 27. Men they have approached in the hopes of making a sale of tickets seem glad of the opportunity offered them. The menu has been placed in charge of the ladies of the Central Christian church, in the basement dining room of which place the banquet is to be served. It has been arranged to secure the services of the E. H. Hancock orchestra and the E. L. Hancock bass quartet for the evening. Short speeches will be made by T. M. Honan and Wm. M. Whitson. John M. Lewis will act as toastmaster.

The committeemen in charge of the banquet are Albert L. Walters, W. E. Weller, Dr. L. D. Robertson, Will Hustedt, Robert Clark, and E. H. Hancock.

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### NEWSY PARAGRAPHS

W. P. Rooney, who has been ill for the past five weeks with influenza and pneumonia, is improving.

Mrs. Wm. Brockhoff, who has been ill for the past two weeks at her home on South Bill street, is improving.

John Congdon, who has been ill for several months with influenza and pneumonia, is slowly improving.

Henry Hodapp who has been working for some time at Camp Knox arrived here this morning where he will spend the week end with his family.

Lieut. F. P. Smith passed through Seymour today at noon enroute to Washington where he will spend Sunday as the guest of the Christian church at that place. Lieut. Smith has been visiting his family at Madison for the past several days and will go to West Baden the first of next week where he will undergo an operation at the hospital.

### Funeral of Child.

The body of Gladys Milledge Madden, the five year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Madden, who died at the home of her parents, in this city Friday morning, was taken to the Reddington cemetery this afternoon for burial. The funeral services were held at the home of the parents this afternoon.

### SOCIAL EVENTS

#### FAREWELL PARTY

The ladies of the New Driftwood neighborhood very delightfully surprised Mrs. John F. Albering Friday afternoon with a farewell party. They came with well filled baskets, and served a delicious luncheon, which was suggestive of Washington's birthday. Mrs. K. D. Mann and Mrs. Fred Niehaus gave readings about Washington and his mother. Mrs. Frank Fislar spoke a few well chosen words in farewell, which were answered by Mrs. Albering.

Those present were: Mrs. Frank Swengel, Mrs. Frank Fislar, Mrs. Oscar Fislar, Mrs. Chris Schmidt, Mrs. Fred Niehaus, Mrs. John Brandt, Mrs. Carl Steinkamp, Mrs. K. D. Mann, Mrs. Wm. Quinn, Mrs. Marshall Snodgrass, Mrs. Wm. Booth, Mrs. Geo. Schepman, Mrs. Alfred Pardieck, Mrs. John Cox, Mrs. Frank Fill, Miss Anna Meyer, Miss Laura Hoevenier, Miss Bertha Schmidt, Miss Ina Cox, Misses Muriel and Virginia Niehaus and Miss Thelma Albering.

Mr. and Mrs. Albering are contemplating moving to this city in the near future.

#### IRELAND-GREGER

The marriage of Miss Bernice Ireland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ireland, of Brownstown, and Walter Greger, took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the bride's home 302 South Main street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Francis M. Moore, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Brownstown. Only the immediate relatives were present. "O Promise Me" and "I Love You Truly" were rendered on the piano by Miss Laura Greger, sister to the groom.

Immediately after the ceremony the newly wedded couple left for Cincinnati and from there will go to Chicago where they will make their home.

Both are popular young people of Brownstown. Mrs. Greger has been the honor guest at a number of pre-nuptial affairs given during the past few weeks.

#### K. K. KLUB

Miss Josephine Fettig entertained the members of the Junior K. K. Klub this afternoon at her home on West Sixth street. The afternoon was spent in the usual informal manner with sewing. A luncheon was served.

Aside from the club members there were present at the meeting Miss Doris Frederick, of Seircleville, Ohio, who is the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. E. Newhouse, Mrs. Nettie Toms, of Birmingham, Ala., who is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Toms, Misses Florence Herz and Magdalen Fettig, of Indianapolis.

#### STEINBERGER-LAUF

Miss Annie Steinberger and Emil Lauf, of Albany, N. Y., were united in marriage Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of John Congdon, justice of peace, on West Second street. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Steinberger.

Immediately after the ceremony they left for a short wedding trip north after which they will return to this city to make their home. Mrs. Lauf is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Steinberger, 324 North Mill street. Mr. Lauf is employed at the New Lynn barber shop.

#### KERR-HALL

A wedding of local interest took place today at Newcastle when Miss Margaret Kerr, of Newcastle, and Harold Hall, of this city, were united in marriage, at 3 o'clock at the Presbyterian church. Mr. Hall is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Hall, of east of Seymour, and is well known here. They will make their home near Seymour. Mrs. H. T. Hall and daughter, Mabel, of this city, were present at the ceremony.

#### AMITIE CLUB

Mrs. John Meyer was hostess to the members of the Amitie Club Friday afternoon at her home on Central Avenue. The afternoon was spent in the usual manner with music and singing. A two course luncheon was served. Mrs. Henry Reber was a guest of the club.

#### SEYMORE TUESDAY CLUB

The Tuesday Club will meet Tuesday, Feb. 29th with Mrs. Jessie Smith at her home on North Poplar street.

In addition to the program the annual business meeting will be held for the election of officers and the payment of dues.

#### ENTERTAIN FOR GUEST

Miss Edna Kasting will entertain a few friends this evening at her home on West Bruce street in honor of her cousin, Miss Edith Benz, of Bedford, who is her guest.

#### ROOK PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Graessle entertained a few friends Friday evening at a rook party at their home on North Poplar street. Three tables of rook were at play during the evening. At the close of the game a light luncheon was served.

The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Frank Abele, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Barbour, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Billings, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kessler, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Meseke.

#### HE'DOVE CLUB

Miss Esther Grele entertained the members of the He'Dove Club Friday evening at her home on South Chestnut street. The evening was spent with sewing and music. A dainty luncheon was served at the close. The meeting next week will be held with Miss Viola Ahlbrand, on South Walnut street.

#### B. Y. P. U. SOCIAL

A George Washington box supper was given Friday evening by the B. Y. P. U. of the First Baptist church at the church parlors. About twenty-five were present. The evening was spent with music and games and the boxes were sold during the evening.

#### COMING EVENTS

##### MONDAY—

Loyal Devoir of Central Christian church at church parlors.

##### TUESDAY—

Mrs. J. F. Tunley's Class of First M. E. Sunday School with Ethelene Collins.

Seymour Tuesday Club with Mrs. Jessie Smith, North Poplar street.

A. A. D. Club with Miss Edna Stahl, 104 E. Laurel street.

##### WEDNESDAY—

K. K. Club with Mrs. K. D. Mann, near Farmington.

Lutheran Young Ladies Society at Club House.

Priscilla Club with Mrs. J. T. Jones, N. Chestnut.

Baptist Home Department Class No. 1 with Mrs. Joseph Harsh.

Eastern Star Club with Mrs. J. W. Hustedt. (Afternoon.)

##### THURSDAY—

Lutheran Ladies Society at the Club House (Evening).

Catholic Ladies Aid Society at the K. of C. Hall (Afternoon.)

##### FRIDAY—

Methodist Aid Society at church parlors.

Christian Aid Society at the church.

Baptist Sewing Society at the church.

Amitie Club with Mrs. Ernest Walser, West Fourth street.

French Circle with Miss Elsie Auffenberg.

Friday Magazine Club Guest Day.

He'Dove Club with Miss Viola Ahlbrand, South Walnut.

#### Appreciation.

We desire to express our appreciation of the co-operation of the public in the Washington Birthday Supper at the First M. E. church Friday night; also to those who donated for the supper and the ladies who so kindly assisted during the evening.

Ladies Aid Society First M. E. Church.

#### Baptist Primary.

All members of the Baptist Primary Department are urged to be present Sunday at Sunday School. Bring your Cradle Roll baby names and bring along your brother and sister as we will have a Washington Birthday souvenir for each one who comes.

Pvt. Albert Borgman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Borgman, of Waymansville, who was sent overseas last August has been discharged from the service and arrived here today enroute to his home. Borgman was a member of the 327 Field Artillery, 84 Division and two days before the armistice was signed received orders to prepare for service at the front. He was among the first of the local boys to answer the draft call and was sent to Camp Taylor for training. On February 5, he returned to the United States and was sent to Camp Sherman to await his discharge.

Mrs. H. A. Runyon, Indianapolis, has returned to her home after visiting her mother, Mrs. C. L. D. Wilson. Her brother, Clarence, returned with her and will spend several days in Indianapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. David Thompson returned Friday evening from Louisville, where they were married last Thursday.



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Hebe milk, small.	6c
Hebe milk, large.	12c
White Line, washing powder.	4c
Daylight soap, bar.	5c
White Cloud soap, bar.	5c
Swifts Pride soap, bar.	6c
Lenox soap, bar.	6c
Swifts White soap, bar.	6c
Double Dip matches, box.	5c
Search Light matches, box.	6c
Spotless Cleanser, box.	5c
Navy beans, lb.	11c
Butter beans, lb.	15c
Peanut butter, No. 1 lb.	20c
SATURDAY SPECIAL, 10 lb granulated sugar.	98c

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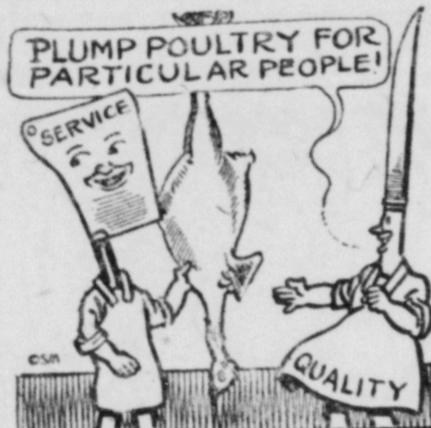
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### PERSONAL

Aaron Abel, of Rockford, transacted business here today.

Miss Eva Day went to Hayden this morning for a week end visit.

Frank Wheeler, of Freetown, was a business caller here today.

Milt H. Barkman, of route 6, was a business visitor here today.

Miss Georgia Cox, of near New Driftwood, was in the city today.

Miss Lola Hague, of Medora, was in Seymour this morning shopping.

John Rapp, of Rockford, was a business visitor in Seymour today.

Miss Estella Reeves went to Hayden this morning for a week end visit.

Charles Phegley, of Freetown, transacted business in Seymour today.

Thomas Whitson and James Horning made a business trip to Bedford today.

Mrs. C. P. Lanpher spent Friday in Jonesville the guest of Mrs. J. H. Jones.

Henry Smith, of Sulphur Springs, was a business visitor in Seymour today.

Fred Baurley, who lives east of Seymour, was here today on business.

Mrs. A. Haskett, of Redding township, was in Seymour today shopping.

Miss Imogene Glasson, of Redding township, was a shopping visitor here today.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Booth, of Farmington, were shopping visitors here today.

Seaman O. H. Holder, of Washington, came Friday afternoon to visit friends.

W. H. Hazzard of Redding township, transacted business in this city this morning.

Frank Stockhoven, of Hamilton township, transacted business in Seymour today.

Mrs. Otto Hartman went to Cincinnati this morning for a week end visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brewer returned to their home in Indianapolis this morning after attending the funeral of Mrs. Lulu Bowers.

Miss Lora Brooks, went to Flemings this morning to spend the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Brooks.

Mrs. Ed Jackson, of Scottsburg, and Mrs. Harry McClain and daughter, Gladys, of this city, went to Columbus today on business.

Mrs. P. K. Anton, of Newcastle, returned to her home this morning after a short visit with Miss Susie Steele and friends in this city.

Mrs. Katie Mae Luckey and Mrs. W. F. McCool have gone to Cincinnati to spend the week end as guests of their cousin, Miss Margie Cordes.

Charles Dowling and daughter, Myrtle, of Jennings county, left this morning for Benton county for a several days' visit with relatives.

Mrs. Sherman Miller, of Elizabethtown, passed through here this morning enroute to Brownstown to visit her mother, Mrs. Chris. Gossman.

Mrs. George Heiwig went to Shelbyville Friday evening, where she will visit her son and daughter, Benjamin Heiwig and Mrs. Viola Murphy.

Mrs. Henry Meyer and daughter, Dorothy, of Louisville, who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles Sauer, returned to their home this morning.

Miss Daisy Carter, who is teaching in Carr township, came home to spend the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Carter, at Woodstock.

Mrs. Mel Ruddick, of Columbus, visited friends a short time here today enroute to Brownstown where she will be the guest of her mother, Mrs. Mary Weathers.

County Agent A. E. Murphy, of Brownstown, transacted business in this city Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Ben King, Jacksonville, Fla., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. D. Wilson, Tipton street.

Miss Edith Adams returned this morning from a several days' visit with friends at North Vernon.

Mrs. B. W. Parker and daughter, Miss Faye, went to Louisville this morning for a week end visit.

Miss Katherine Quinn went to Indianapolis Friday afternoon for a week end visit with relatives.

Mrs. Laura Lucas, of Brownstown, went to Newpoint this morning to visit her sister, Mrs. Wm. Haas.

Mrs. L. Sprickerhoff went to Milan Friday afternoon to attend the funeral of her niece, Miss Dora Wise.

Mrs. S. L. Gray, of Memphis, visited friends here today enroute to Shoals for a short visit with relatives.

Louis Bruning and family returned Friday from Cincinnati, where they attended the funeral of Gus Nolting.

Miss Edith Benzel, of Bedford, came Friday evening for a week end visit with her cousin, Miss Edna Kasting.

Lloyd S. Carter came home from Indianapolis this afternoon to spend the week end with his son, Tracey Carter.

Mrs. John Pferr, of Medora, was through Seymour today enroute to Indianapolis for a short visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McLemore and children went to Washington this morning for a week end visit with relatives.

Mrs. Pearl Summit went to Columbus this morning to spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Virgil Seal and family.

Mrs. E. J. Mulvihill and chil-

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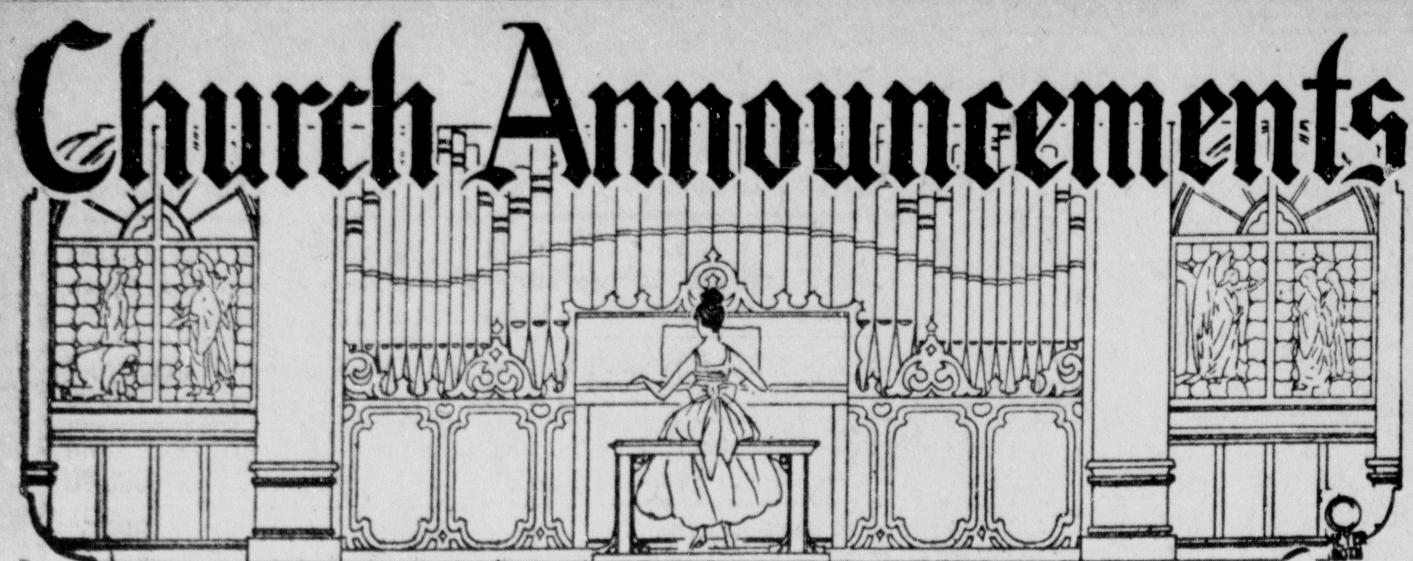
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**The First Baptist Church.**

Frederic Arthur Hayward, minister. 9:15 a. m. The Church School. Jay C. Smith, Director. Classes for all ages. The Easter Goal Program will be announced Sunday. Our great opportunity to work again for something worth while. \$1500.00 in cash and 50 additions to the church on Easter.

10:30 a. m. The Morning Worship. Pastor Hayward will give the first of several sermons on, "A Restatement of Vital Doctrines." The theme tomorrow morning will be, "The Spirit of Faith."

2 p. m. The Mission Schools. Last Sunday Park Mission had 105 present and the Southwest had 72. Both schools are looking forward to greater numbers tomorrow.

6:30 p. m. The Young People's Hour. Last Sunday we urged the ages from 15 to 20 to become interested and they did. Now we desire to stress the ages from 20 to 25. Only as these young men and women get behind this meeting can it be at the best. The Misses Stark lead tomorrow night, the subject being, "Industrial Missions on Baptist Mission Fields."

7:30 p. m. The Popular Sunday Night Service. The closing theme, "On a Siding" will be given in the Railroad Sermons. Don't miss it. "Life's Railroad to Heaven" will be sung during the evening. Everybody invited. Come where they all sing the old songs.

Class No. 1 of the Baptist Home Department will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Joseph Harsh. The study of the lesson will commence at 2 o'clock but all ladies are invited to come and quit before and after the lesson hour.

**Baptist Special Notice.**

The Board of Trustees of the First Baptist church will make the report of the financial budget for the year ending October 1, 1919, at the close of the Sunday morning service. It is earnestly desired by the board and the pastor that each member of the church be present.

**First Presbyterian Church.**

9:15—Sunday School. A special service "America the Friend of the World," has been arranged in memory of Washington. The special offering will go for the work of home missions. Music led by the orchestra. Come with an offering. Souvenir programs used.

10:30—This will be the only church service of the day, and you are asked to make a special effort to attend. The pastor will preach from the theme: "The Bitterness of Sin."

Friday—Boy Scout entertainment for their friends at the Shelds High School. A six reel film: "Knights of the Square Table," will be the feature. Tickets may be secured from the Scouts without charge, after Tuesday.

**Central Christian Church.**

Remember Our Goal. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Ray R. Keach, Subj. Special music by the Junior choir.

Communion and preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor.

Christian Endeavor Sunday evening at 6:30.

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**United Brethren Church.**

Sunday School 9:00 a. m. Preaching service at 10:30 a. m.

**Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church.**

Sunday School at 9:00. Church service at 10:30. Epworth League devotional meeting at 7:00. Gospel service at 7:30.

The Rev. J. F. Severinghaus will preach in both church services tomorrow.

Wednesday evening prayer meeting at the church and on Friday evening in the home of Geo. Kasten.

Thursday evening at 7:30 the regular monthly business and social meeting of the Trinity brotherhood in the E. L. room.

Wm. Weiler, minister.

**Nazarene Church.**

The special revival meetings will continue at this church. Evangelist Fogg is preaching each night and the interest is increasing.

Mrs. Lois Metz, of Olivet, Illinois, is assisting in solo singing. There will be Sunday School as usual at 9:30 and preaching at 10:30, also at 3:00 p. m. and 7:00 at night. This will afford a good opportunity for those who have not yet heard Evangelist Fogg. The meetings will continue all through the coming week.

C. P. Lanpher, pastor.

**Lutheran.**

9:30 a. m. Preparatory service for communicants.

10:00 a. m. Morning service with celebration of holy communion. Brief business meeting will follow morning service. There will be no evening services.

**Christian Science.**

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.

Sunday service at 10:45 a. m. Testimonial meetings every Wednesday from 7:30 to 8:30 p. m. To our services and to the reading room the public is cordially invited and welcome.

**Southwest Mission.**

The meetings at the Southwest Mission will be continued all next week, with the exception of Wednesday and Saturday. The meetings for the young people at 4 p. m. and the evening service at 7:30 p. m.

**Church of Christ.**

Bible study at 10 o'clock. Communion service at 11 o'clock at southeast corner of Sixth and Chestnut.

**A. M. E. Church.**

Sunday School 2:30 p. m. Special Service 7 p. m. Subject, "Called—Will I Answer?"

F. M. Ovalton, Pastor.

**Second Baptist.**

Sunday School at 2 o'clock at the church corner of Brown and Lynn streets. A cordial welcome to all.

**Park Mission.**

Sunday School at 2:00 p. m.

**What to Pray For.**

Oh do not pray for easy lives. Pray to be stronger men. Do not pray for tasks equal to your powers. Pray for powers equal to your tasks. Then the doing of your work shall be no miracle. But you shall be a miracle. Every day you shall wonder at yourself, at the richness of life which has come to you by the grace of God.

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**Thy Friend.**

Make not thy friend too cheap to thee, nor thyself to thy friend.—Fuller.

**First M. E. Church.**

Charles W. Whitman, minister.

The regular services of the church will be held tomorrow as usual.

The Sabbath School will convene at 9:15 with C. H. Wiethoff, superintendent, in charge. The singing will be led by the orchestra.

The pastor will preach at both the morning and evening services. The theme for the morning hour will be, "A World Task." The choir will furnish special music for both services. We cordially invite the public to worship with us.

**St. Paul's Congregational Church.**

The Sabbath school meets in regular session in the school rooms at 9:15. Supt. John Loertz invites everyone to be present on time.

Morning preaching 10:30. Subject of the sermon "The first and the second." We have had some excellent special music lately and you may look for the same to continue.

Evening services 7:30. Keep in mind this is our helpful service. Subject of the discourse "Broken Cisterns." Everybody is cordially invited to any and all of our services.

O. G. Misamore Pastor.

**St. Ambrose Catholic Church.**

Low Mass at 8 o'clock. High Mass at 10 o'clock.

Instruction in Catechism at 2:30. Vesper service and Benediction at 3:00 o'clock.

**Glenlawn Mission.**

Glenlawn Mission at 2:30 each Sunday afternoon.

**Temperance Notes**

(Conducted by the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union.)

**Liquor Traffic a Menace to Youth.**

Judge W. C. Mentzer of the First judicial district of the state of Wyoming, gives the following as his reasons for believing in prohibition:

"During over 21 years' experience since I began the practice of law, I have constantly been in a position to observe, and have observed, the cruel and cursed consequences of drunkenness. I have seen boys and young men of good families ruined by liquor, charged with and convicted of serious criminal offenses, and lodged in a felon's cell, their families disgraced and pauperized; I have seen them rotten with loathsome disease and insane as the result of drunkenness.

"During my six years on the bench as judge of the district court of the First district of Wyoming, in the discharge of my duty I have been compelled to send approximately 300 men to the penitentiary, jail or reformatory, for criminal offenses committed by them against the laws of the state of Wyoming, and I know that 90 per cent of these crimes were caused by drunkenness.

"During the same period of time there has scarcely a week passed that I have not been called upon to grant one or more divorces, and I know that fully 85 per cent of these cases were traceable to drunkenness. I have also been compelled to take many children from the homes of drunkards and give them over to the state or charitable institutions, their homes having been destroyed by drunkenness."

**The Unpardonable Sin.**

Science tells us that alcohol is the specific for degeneracy; that is, it stops the building process. Life is not founded on a level plane; everything that lives has an inclined plane; the individual type of species develops along a certain line of evolution. They have made a discovery, that whatever the line of the creature's evolution, whether plants, animals or man are dealt with, alcohol will begin by tearing down at the top, thus exactly re-

versing the building process. This is called degeneracy, and it is the unpardonable sin. When degeneracy sets in, when the creature ceases to rise, the curse of nature descends upon him; nature shortens his life and blights it. It is true whether in the vegetable kingdom, the kingdom of the animal, the kingdom of man, whether you deal with the family, nation, empire, or civilization. Alcohol strikes at the reproduction of life; it blights the offspring unborn. In a few generations it practically exterminates the family, and would exterminate the nation.—Richard Pearson Hobson.

**Some of the Things Ratification Will Do.**

It will harmonize the state and federal policy of government in dealing with the liquor problem.

The \$2,000,000 spent for liquor, which comes from the earnings of the mechanics, laborers, farmers and tradespeople will be spent for something less harmful—something which will give a larger return per capita.

All the existing liquor capital of the nation will be at work along honest, health-producing lines.

Labor will be benefited, because the capital now invested in liquor industries will, when employed in constructive manufactures, employ four times as many men and distribute a proportionately greater amount in wages.

There will be no confiscation of property because no property will be taken from anyone. The law will simply require that a man use his property in a fashion to do more good to the community and to himself.—Ratification Handbook.

**A Libel on the Workmen.**

Why should the laborers in the war industries be branded as less loyal and patriotic, less willing to make sacrifices for the winning of the war, than other men and women? The soldier or sailor cheerfully forgoes indulgence in intoxicants without threatening to lay down his arms. Men who work on the railroads and in other important positions feel it no hardship to abstain from alcohol in all its forms. There is no reason to suppose that other men who are doing war work quite as important as that of the men in uniform are made of inferior stuff.

Winnipeg, Canada, during three months of 1918 reduced its police force by 33, due to prohibition. This will effect the saving of nearly \$30,000 yearly.

**The Coming World Ruler**

By REV. B. B. SUTCLIFFE  
Extension Department, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago

TEXT—The government shall be upon his shoulder.—Isa. 9:6.

The One mentioned in the text is none other than the coming Prince of Peace, the King of kings and the Lord of lords, Jesus Christ, who is to be the ruler of this world and who will reign as King.

The ancient idea that a king was the patriarchal father, friend and guardian of his people pertains to this Coming King. There are four marks of his kingship.

I. He has absolute authority.

There is no such thing as limited monarchy, much less democracy, about the kingship of this Coming One. He will be no mere figurehead, as some of the kings of our day. The second chapter of this prophet Isaiah declares he will judge between the nations. All international questions will in his day be referred to him and from his decisions there will be no appeal. This is in accord with the ancient idea of kingship, but with the difference that where other kings were subject to error and made mistakes there will be no errors or mistakes in the exercise of authority by the Prince of Peace. Ruling in the supreme authority given him by God and ruling with the glory of God as the one motive of all his acts, there will come under this benevolent king the full blessedness on earth for which man has waited so long.

II.—He will have supreme power.

There have been and there are today kings who have authority but lack the power to exercise it. This Coming One will have all power for the full and proper exercise of his authority. None will be able to turn him aside from his decrees, nor will any be able to make his decrees null and void. Even some who will be disposed to resent his authority will, because of his power, bow to his decrees. Ruling as he will, wholly for the glory of God, means that all selfish exercise of power will be done away, and those who would feather their own nests by oppression will find their occupation gone. This would cause war to be heard were it not that this Ruler has all power to enforce his decrees. As all his decrees are calculated to bring supreme blessing to all men it is little wonder that his coming is awaited by many with eagerness and delight.

III.—He will provide certain protection.

The ancient king was charged with the guardianship of his people, who looked to him to guard them from their enemies. This Coming King will afford such protection for his own that none will make them afraid, but all will dwell in security and peace. In his day every man will dwell under his own vine and fig tree, no oppression of the weak will be found, and no unfair advantage whereby one may grow rich at the expense of another will be allowed throughout the world. Man will then have a chance to come to his full development, with no fear of sudden destruction of himself or of his plans. There will be protection from wars and rumors of war, protection from the criminal and the lawless, and protection from all evil save only that which individual men and women will desire to carry within themselves. Certain protection will be afforded by the unlimited power and absolute authority of the Coming King against all the machinations of evil and the unrighteousness of men.

IV.—He will bring full provision for his people.

The ancient king was looked to by his people to provide all necessary provision, and his people's needs were his sacred charge. Like a father he was supposed to provide for his own people as though they were his children. So this One who is coming will provide for his own all things required to make contentment the rule throughout the world. In his reign the waste places will bring forth, the wilderness will blossom as the rose and the dry lands will become fruitful fields. The cry of hunger will never be heard and famine will only be remembered as a nightmare of days gone by. With fullness of bread there will be the full knowledge of the Lord, for his knowledge will cover the earth as the waters cover the sea.

In the midst of all the strife and suffering of today the above sounds like some dream impossible of fulfillment. But the word of the Lord has declared it, and his word is settled forever in heaven. Every jot and every tittle of what he has written is sure of full realization, and the signs of the times give every encouragement that the coming of the Great King is not far off. In the midst of the distress of nations and the fear of what is coming on the earth, it is well to comfort our hearts with the assurance that in God's good time he will bring forth his king, who will give to all the tangled threads of life and all the chaotic conditions of the world a divine order and a blessed rule for all peoples.

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# The RIVER

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## CHAPTER II.

## A Bit of Oratory.

Marshall threw his hat on a chair, the morning paper on his desk. He aimed his burned-out cigar at the nearest cuspidor, but it fell foul, the ashes scattering over Sam's lately scoured linoleum. Instantly there was appearance of settled disorder. Marshall emptied his pockets of loose papers, spreading them out on his flat-top desk.

"Sit down!"

Rickard took the chair at the other side of the desk.

Marshall rang a bell. Instantly the shirt-sleeved clerk entered.

"I shall not see anyone," the chief announced. "I don't want to be interrupted. Take these to Smythe."

His eyes followed the shutting of the door, then turned square upon Rickard. "I need you. It's a h—l of a mess!"

The engineer wanted to know what kind of a "mess" it was.

"That river. It's running away from them. I'm going to send you down to stop it."

"The Colorado!" exclaimed Rickard. It was no nose to be turned, simply off from a garden bed.

"Of course you've been following it? It's one of the biggest things that's happened in this part of the world. Too big for the men who have been trying to swing it. You've followed it?"

"Yes." Queer coincidence, reading that report just now! "I've not been there. But the engineering papers used to get to me in Mexico. I've read all the reports."

His superior's question was uncharacteristically superfluous. Who had not read with thrilled nerves of that wild river which men had been trying to put under work harness? Who, even among the stay-at-homes, had not followed the newspaper stories of the failure to make a meek servant and water carrier of the Colorado, that wild steed of mountain and desert? What engineer, no matter how remote, would not "follow" that spectacular struggle between men and Titans?

"Going to send me to Salton?" he inquired. The railroad had been kept jumping to keep its feet dry. His job to be by that inland sea which last year had been desert!

"No. Brainerd is there. He can manage the tracks. I am going to send you down to the break."

Rickard did not answer. He felt the questioning eyes of his chief.

The break—where those Hardins were—how in thunder was he going to get out of that, and save his skin? Marshall liked his own way—

"We'll consider it settled, then."

"Who's in charge there?" Rickard was only gaining time. He thought he knew the name he would hear. Marshall's first word surprised him.

"No one. Up to a few months ago it was Hardin, Tom Hardin. He was general manager of the company. He was allowed to resign, to save his face, as the Chinese say. I may tell you that it was a case of firing. He'd made a terrible fluke down there."

"I know," murmured Rickard. It was growing more difficult, more distasteful. If Marshall wanted him to supplant Hardin! It had been incredible, that man's folly! Reckless gambling, nothing else. Make a cut in the banks of a wild river, without putting in head gates to control it; a child would guess better! It was a problem now, all right; the writer of the report he'd just read wasn't the only one who was prophesying failure. Let the river cut back, and the government works at Laguna would be useless; a pickle Hardin had made.

Still to gain time he suggested that Marshall tell him the situation. "I've followed only the engineering side of it. I don't know the relationship of

the two companies."

"Where the railroad came in? The inside of that story? I'm responsible—I guaranteed to Faraday the closing of that break. There was a big district to save, a district that the railroad tapped—but I'll tell you that later." He was leisurely puffing blue, perfectly formed rings into the air, his eyes admiring them.

"Perhaps you've heard how Estrada, the general, took a party of men into the desert to sell a mine he owned. After the deal was made he decided to let it slip. He'd found something bigger to do, more to his liking than the sale of a mine. Estrada was a big man, a great man. He had the idea Powell and others had, of turning the river, of saving the desert. He dreamed himself of doing it. If sickness hadn't come to him the Colorado would be meekly carrying water now instead of flooding a country. Pity Eduardo, the son, is not like him. He's like his mother—you never know what they are dreaming about. Not at all alike, my wife and Estrada's."

Then it came to Rickard that he had heard somewhere that Marshall and General Estrada had married sisters, famous beauties of Guadalajara.



I Am Going to Send You Down to the Break.

He began to piece together the personal background of the story.

"It was a long time before Estrada could get it started, and it's a long story. As soon as he began he was knocked down. Other men took hold. You'll hear it all in the valley. Hardin took a day to tell it to me! He sees himself as a martyr. Promoters got in; the thing swelled into a swindle, a spectacular swindle. They showed oranges on Broadway before a drop of water was brought in. Hardin has lots of grievances! He'd made the original survey. So when he sued for his back wages he took the papers of the bankrupt company in settlement. He's a grim sort of ineffectual bulldog. He's clung with his teeth to the Estrada idea. And he's not big enough for it. He uses the optimistic method—gives you only half of a case, half of the problem, gets started on a false premise. Well, he got up another company on that method, the Desert Reclamation company, tried to whitewash the desert project; it was in bad odor then, and he managed to bring a few drops of water to the desert."

"It was Hardin who did that?" But he couldn't deliver enough. The cut silted up. He cut again, the same story. He was in a pretty bad hole. He'd brought colonists in already; he'd used their money, the money they'd paid for land with water, to make the cuts. No wonder he was desperate."

Tom Marshall leaned back the full swing of his swivel chair, blankly astounded. His eyes told Rickard that he had been found wanting—he had white blood in his veins.

"It recalled the man Rickard had disliked, the rough-shod, loud-voiced student of his first class in engineering. That was the man who had made the flamboyant carpets of the Holmes' boarding house impossible any longer to him. He had a sudden disconcerting vision of a large unfinished face peering through the honeysuckles at a man and a girl drawing apart in confusion from their first and last kiss. He wanted to tell Marshall he was wasting his time.

"Overwhelmed with lawsuits," Marshall was saying. "Hardin had to deliver water to those colonists. It was then that he ran over into Mexico, so as to get a better gradient for his canal, and made his cut there. You know the rest. It ran away from him. It made the Salton sea."

"Did he ever give you any reason," frowned Rickard reminiscently, "any reasonable reason why he made that cut without any head gate?"

"No money!" shrugged Marshall, getting out another cigar. "I told you he's a raw dancer, always starts off too quick, begins on the wrong foot. Oh, yes, he has reasons, lots of them, that fellow, but, as you say, they're not reasonable. He never waits to get ready."

Why was it that the face of the half-sister came to Rickard then, with that look of sensitive high breeding and guarded reserve? And she a Hardin! Sister to the loud-spilling mouth! Queer cards nature deals! And pretty cards Marshall was trying to deal out to him. Go down there and finish Hardin's job, show him up to be the fumbler he was, give him orders, give the husband of Gerty Holmes orders—!

"It was Hardin who came to me, but not until he'd tried everything else. They'd worked for months trying to dam the river with a few lace handkerchiefs, and perhaps a chiffon veil!" Marshall was twinkling over his own humor. "Hardin did put up a good talk. It was true, as he said; we'd had to move our tracks three, no, four times at Salton. It was true that it ought to be one of the richest districts tapped by the O. P. But he clutched me by a clever bait—to put out a spur in Mexico which would keep any other railroad off by a fifty-mile parallel, and there the sandhills made a railroad impossible."

"The government must eventually come to the rescue. Their works at Laguna hang on the control of the river down at the heading. Once, he told me—I don't know how much truth there was in it—the service, reclamation service, did try to buy up their plant for a paltry sum. He wouldn't sell. The short is, I recommended long-sighted assistance to Faraday. I promised to turn that river, save the district. We expected before the year was out to have the government take the responsibility off our hands."

Rickard made an impatient shrug. A nice problem Marshall had taken unto himself. He wanted none of it. Hardin—the thing was impossible.

He met laggardly Marshall's story. He heard him say: "Agreed with Faraday. The Desert Reclamation company was as helpless as a swaddled infant. We made the condition that we reorganize the company. I was put in Hardin's place as president of the corporation, and he was made general manager. Of course we had to control the stock. We put up two hundred thousand dollars—Hardin had estimated it would cost us less than half that! It's cost us already a million. Things haven't been going right. Faraday's temper burst out, and Hardin a while back was asked to resign."

"And it is Hardin's position that you want me to fill?" His voice sounded queer to himself—dry, mocking, as if anyone should know what an absurd thing he was being asked to do. He felt Marshall's sharp Indian eyes on him, as if detecting a pettiness. Well, he didn't care how Marshall had interpreted it. That place wasn't for him.

"I want you in control down there." Rickard knew he was being appraised, balanced all over again. It made no difference—

"I'm sorry," he was beginning, when Marshall cut in.

"Good Lord, you are not going to turn it down?"

He met Marshall's incredulous stare. "It's a job I'd jump at under most circumstances. But I can't go, sir."

Tom Marshall leaned back the full swing of his swivel chair, blankly astounded. His eyes told Rickard that he had been found wanting—he had white blood in his veins.

"It is good of you to think of me—

shaw! it is absurd to say these things. You know that I know it is an honor to be picked out by you for such a piece of work. I'd like to—but I can't."

The president of railroads, who knew men, had been watching the



Just Stop That River!

play of feature. "Take your time," he said. "Don't answer too hastily. Take your time."

He was playing the fool, or worse, before Marshall, whom he respected, whose partisanship meant so much. But he couldn't help it. He couldn't tell that story—he knew that Marshall would brush it aside as a child's episode. He couldn't make it clear to the man whose stare was balancing him why he could not oust Tom Hardin.

"Is it a personal reason?" Marshall's gaze had returned to his ring making.

Rickard admitted it was personal.

"Then I don't accept it. I wouldn't be your friend if I didn't advise you to disregard the little thing, to take the big thing. Maybe you are going to be married." He did not wait for Rickard's vigorous negative. "That can wait. The river won't. There's a river running away down yonder, ruining the valley, ruining the homes of families men have carried in with them. I've asked you to save them. There's a debt of honor to be paid. My promise. I have asked you to pay it. There's history being written in that desert. I've asked you to write it. And you say 'No—'"

"No! I say yes!" slipped Rickard. The Marshall oratory had swept him to his feet.

The dramatic moment was chilled by their Anglo-Saxon self-consciousness. An awkward silence hung. Then:

"When can you go?"

"Today, tomorrow, the first train out."

"Good!"

"Any instructions?"

"Just stop that river!"

"The expense?" demanded the engineer.

"How far can I go?"

"D—n the expense!" cried Tod Marshall. "Just go ahead."

(To be continued.)

Miss Maude McClintock, of Reddington and her sister, Mrs. Wm. Sparks, of Columbus, who is visiting at Reddington, were in Seymour Friday afternoon shopping.

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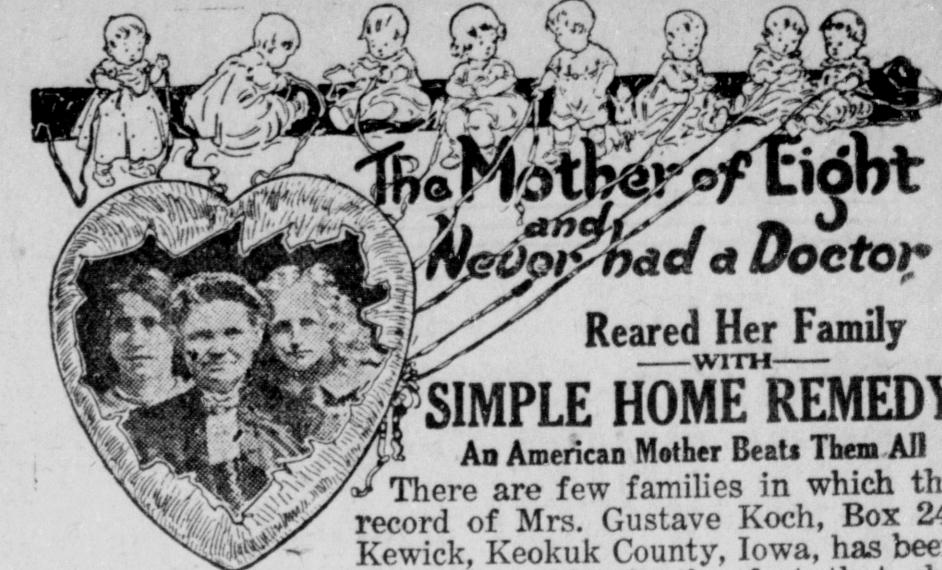
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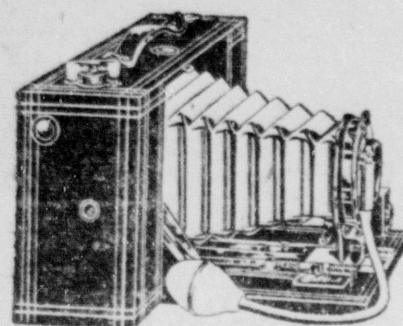
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Dixie Flyers leave Seymour for Crothersville, Scottsburg, Sellersburg, Jeffersonville and Louisville at 9:11, 11:11 a. m. and 2:11, 4:11, 6:11 and 9:11 p. m.

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## NEWSY PARAGRAPHS

Oliver Steinberger is confined to his home on Mill street with influenza.

Louis Waiber, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emery Waiber, who was injured in an automobile accident several weeks ago, was able to leave the hospital today and was removed to his home.

Mrs. Walter Voss underwent an operation at the Schneck Memorial Hospital Friday evening.

Rev. C. P. Lanpher, who is confined to his home on account of sickness, during the past week is still unable to leave his home.

Mrs. Sarah Hibner, who underwent an operation at the Schneck hospital day before yesterday, is getting along as well as can be expected.

Lela Cox, of Crothersville, who underwent an operation at the Schneck hospital Friday is getting along as well as can be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Goldman, of Cincinnati, were here Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Goldman were married January 7th. Her home was formerly at Detroit, Mich.

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FOR SALE—Cyphers Warm Air Incubators. K. B. Shields. Phone 742. f27d&amp;w

FOR SALE—A few good feeding shoats. Clifford Lane. Phone Reddington. f22d&amp;w

FOR SALE—1918 Ford touring car. A-1 condition. Phone 619. f24d

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But gee — what if  
I should!

## Weather Report

Snow or rain Sunday. Clearing and colder.

Miss Helen Seiner and Arthur Seiner, North Vernon, and Miss Mary McGuire, Bedford, are week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Dehler, North Chestnut street.

Dr. A. B. Irwin, of near Hayden, was a business caller here today.

B. C. Lett, of Surprise, was a business visitor in Seymour today.

A. M. Browning, of Acme, transacted business here today.

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## CHARGROVE'S

## SPECIALS For Next Week

Salmon, No. 1, tall.....	20c
Salmon, 1/2 size.....	12c
No. 2 Pink Beans.....	11c
No. 2 can Pork and Beans, 2 for .....	25c
No. 1 can Kidney Beans, 3 for .....	25c
Special on Coffee, pound.....	30c
10 oz. bottle extra fine Catsup.....	12c
Cocoa, 10 cent size, 2 for.....	15c
Large can Hominy.....	5c
Large can Kraut.....	15c
Large can Apricots.....	25c
Large jar Apple Butter.....	25c
50c size Royal Baking Powder.....	40c
25c size Royal Baking Powder.....	20c
10 bars Flake White Soap.....	60c
10 bars Lenox Soap.....	50c
Van Camp Sopb, can.....	10c
Fancy can Corn, 2 for.....	25c
Early June Peas, 2 for.....	25c
10 pounds light Karo.....	70c
10 pounds dark Karo.....	65c
1 gal. Country Sorghum.....	\$1.15
5 pound light or dark Karo	40c

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